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As I See It ---

"Not Brick and Mortar"

History is not only of the past. It is today looked at tomorrow. A sweep of history has been made at Bridgewater this year.

The completion of the Alexander Mack Memorial Library is an achievement of half a century. Every alumnus, student and friend of Bridgewater can look with pride on this facility as one of the best of its size in the land. Already it has enhanced the prestige of the college many fold.

But history is not written by brick and mortar alone. Behind every institution there are the shadows of great men who had the vision and courage to lead it to its heights. This is true of Bridgewater.

Dr. Paul H. Bowman '10BA, with great wisdom and tact developed a regional college from three struggling institutions; obtained proper accreditation and funds to operate in the midst of depressions and wars. His twenty-seven years of service were a landmark.

The last fifteen years under the able administration of Dr. Warren D. Bowman have seen another remarkable chapter with the building of more than six sorely needed college buildings and eight faculty residences. Through his devotion and tireless efforts, the college and church are wedded in effort, more than two million dollars raised, and faculty increased. Dr. Bowman, in his retirement, has set the stage for Bridgewater to leap ahead in history. It is up to each alumnus, student, faculty member and friend to pick up the torch of these two great men and carry on to even greater heights.

Jacob F. Replogle

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OUR COVER

Miss Judith Nolen, Bassett, Va., senior and music major, is the fairest of Bridgewater's fair who will reign as Miss Bridgewater May Queen XXXIV on Saturday, May 2, 1964. (See page 10.)

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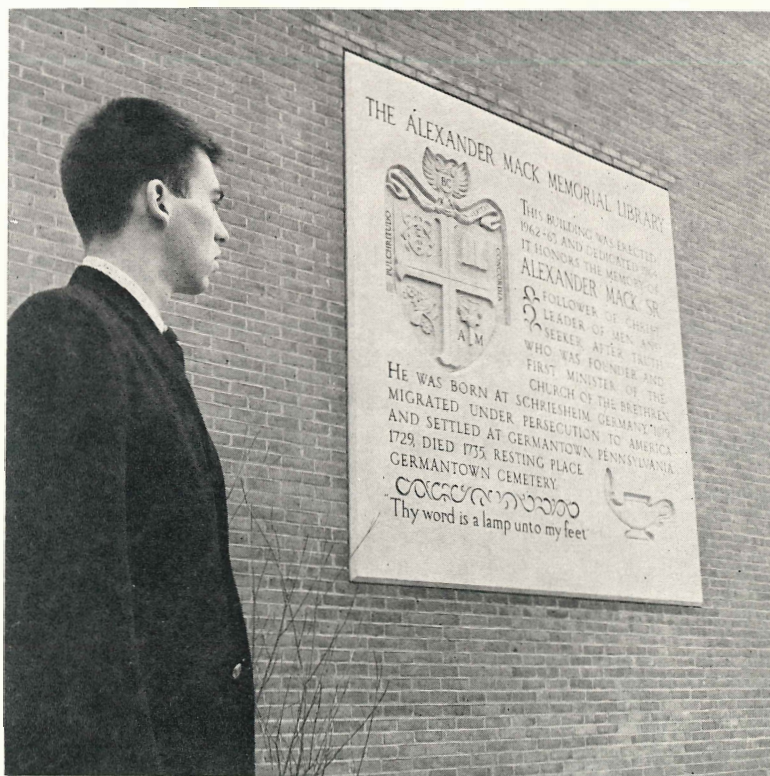
II. Dedication, Alexander Mack Memorial Library

Founders Day, April 3, 1964

THE SECOND PHASE and Dedication of the Alexander Mack Memorial Library fittingly occurred on Founders Day, April 3, 1964, on the Bridgewater College campus.

National and state figures in the world of higher education and government were on hand to celebrate this outstanding achievement of one of the finest college libraries in the state. More than two score librarians and delegates from educational institutions and associations joined in the academic procession of faculty and trustees into Cole Hall to hear the Honorable Theodore M. McKeldin, mayor of Baltimore City and former governor of the state of Maryland, give the dedicatory address.

Special guests included the members of the Student Senate, the Senior Class, trustees and their wives, students, churchmen and friends of the college. Cole Hall was just about filled for the 2:00 p.m. dedication program presided over by Mr. R. Douglas Nininger, chairman of the Board of Trustees.



J. Howard Mack, Jr., a tenth generation lineal descendent of Alexander Mack, Sr., studies the plaque on the new Alexander Mack Memorial Library, memorializing the founder of the Church of the Brethren in 1708.



Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin and President Warren Bowman listen as the college chorale, led by Professor Philip Trout, sings "The Music of Life."

Founders Day opened with the registering of the delegates and special guests in the gymnasium at 11:00 a.m. At noon President Warren Bowman was host to the more than 100 delegates and guests at luncheon in the college dining room.

Following the formal dedication, Mr. Orland Wages, college librarian, and staff welcomed the visitors and public to an Open House and refreshments in the new library. Dozens of visitors and townspeople took advantage of the opportunity to discover the excellent facilities of the Alexander Mack Memorial Library.

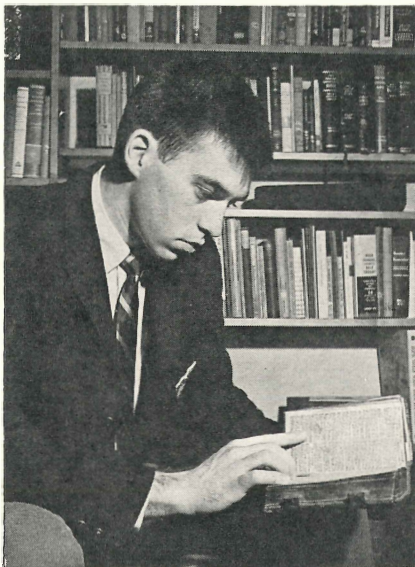
One of the features of the Library's open house was the one-man art exhibit of oil paintings and wood-cuts of alumnus Charles George Speck '47, New York artist of international reputation. Approximately forty outstanding works were exhibited in the gallery and seminar room of the Library.

For the sports-minded, the Bridgewater College baseball team also were hosts to the Ashland College nine, of Ashland, Ohio.

The most memorable Founders Day closed with a testimonial dinner for President and Mrs. Warren Bowman attended by the trustees, their wives, and the faculty and their wives.



The academic procession enters Cole Hall for the dedicatory program. Among the faculty are (left) Miss Agnes Kline, college librarian for 35 years and now catalog librarian, and Mr. Orland Wages (right), new head librarian. In the background can be seen the new Alexander Mack Memorial Library, standing out beside the College Street Church.



J. Howard Mack, Jr., Uniontown, Pa., sophomore and a tenth generation lineal descendant of Alexander Mack, reads the personal Bible of his famous ancestor. This Bible is enshrined in the Brethren Room of the Alexander Mack Memorial Library.



A view of the Brethren Room which was made possible through a substantial gift of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Lantz, Broadway, Va. In the foreground is the case holding Alexander Mack's Bible and other personal books. In the background are cases displaying valued parchments and Christopher Sauer Bible. Other areas of the room have the desk of D. C. Flory, founder of Bridgewater College, leather and occasional furniture for inviting fellowship.



Librarian Orland Wages and library secretary, Joyce Knicely, check out students' books at the circulation desk.

'The Library: Education's Indispensable Instrument'

by

Honorable Theodore R. McKeldin

Hon. Theodore R. McKeldin, mayor of Baltimore City and former governor of the State of Maryland, delivered this address, April 3, 1964, in Cole Hall, on the occasion of the dedication of the Alexander Mack Memorial Library. It was felt that it was of such significance that at least a summary should be published for all ALUMNUS magazine readers.



TO HAVE THE GREAT HONOR of being connected with such an auspicious occasion as this — the dedication of a new college library — is to be connected with the very heart of the college, for on the shelves of the library is stored the accumulated wisdom of the past which is the excuse for being of any institution of higher learning.

The modern institution of higher learning as we know it is not as old as education. We can trace it back not much before the renaissance, to the twelfth and thirteenth centuries; but there were very elaborate schools long before that, and the central idea of these schools we can find in Plato's academy and Aristotle's lyceum which, in point of time, were much further beyond the renaissance than we are on this side of it. That idea was the idea of the whole man, who was at once the soldier, the citizen, the head of a household and the priest at the altar.

Idea Was Lost

But in the dark ages that idea was lost. Life and learning were broken into segments. Classical learning all but disappeared and the schools became schools of theology, or of civil and canon law, or of medicine. Not until these various schools had assembled around the Cathedral in Paris did

men develop the idea of a "general school," a school in which everything is taught.

I cite this familiar history only to emphasize the point that we are back now to the idea with which Plato and Aristotle started, namely that wisdom, which is, or ought to be, the fruit of knowledge, is a unity. Knowledge you can break up into science, philosophy, history, and so on, but wisdom is indivisible. The whole body of knowledge today is beyond the capacity of any one mind to encompass. The most learned man alive, while he may know many things, is ignorant of others. But wisdom is different. Each of us has a choice of being a wise man or a fool, but there is no third choice.

The function of a place such as Bridgewater College is to give to students a certain amount of knowledge in the hope of making them wise. It can only offer him a chance to become wise by giving him the knowledge of which wisdom is the hoped-for-fruit.

'Education For Life'

All current discussion about "education for life," "The well-adjusted personality," and so on is no more than an elaboration of the ancient truth that a wise man lives well and a fool does not. The practical problem before the college is to supply the kind of knowl-

edge that in the individual case is most likely to produce the desired result. Stated thus, it is simple in the extreme; but its practical application is as complicated and difficult as the statement is simple.

One thing, though, is certain beyond dispute. It is that the college can afford to overlook nothing. Each of its departments may, and should, concentrate on a specialty to the exclusion of all that is irrelevant to the subject; but the college as a whole must bring all that is known within the range of its vision, for one reason, because thereby it may keep its various departments reminded that they are, after all, specialties and the whole of knowledge is not with them.

This is what makes the library so immensely important. Here is the one place on the campus where everything is relevant. Here is the spot where the student of history, or languages, or science has visual, tangible proof that there is a vast world beyond his narrow range of interests and that he can forget or ignore that world only at the price of becoming less than a whole man, not altogether a wise man.

In Danger of Error

It is urgently necessary to remember this right now, for at the moment we are in danger of falling into a serious error. World events

(Continued on Page 18)

Paul Haynes Bowman

1887 - 1964

DR. PAUL H. BOWMAN, president-emeritus of Bridgewater College, departed this life on Saturday, April 4 after several months' battle with cancer. The whole alumni family and the Shenandoah Valley community were saddened by his death.

For the last several years he had been troubled with various illnesses but had given yeoman service to Bridgewater College, the Church of the Brethren, and the community in general. He had served as the general chairman of the college's Crusade for Excellence and more recently had initiated a long range college program in wills and estate planning.

Dr. Bowman had given unstintingly of time and energy to call on prospective donors, foundations, and corporations in the interest of Bridgewater College. He literally wore himself out for the welfare of others.

Paul Haynes Bowman had a distinguished career as an educator, church statesman and community leader. Dr. Bowman was president of Bridgewater College from 1919 until he retired in 1946. Under his leadership, Bridgewater became a member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools; Blue Ridge College in Maryland, Daleville College near Roanoke and Hebron Seminary at Nokesville were consolidated with it; Cole and Rebecca Halls were built; and the endowment and student body greatly increased. In 1942 he was honored by being named president of the Virginia Association of Colleges. Shortly after his retirement from the presidency of Bridgewater College, he was named president-emeritus. In 1944 he was awarded an honorary de-



gree from his alma mater and in 1955 he was named the Alumnus of the Year by the Bridgewater College Alumni Association. In that 75th anniversary year of the founding of the college, Dr. Bowman's monumental book, *Brethren Education in the Southeast* was published.

A native of Tennessee, the son of Samuel Joseph and Sue Virginia Bowman, Dr. Bowman was a national leader of the Church of the Brethren for half a century. He was elected to the General Brotherhood Board or its equivalent in 1929 and served almost consecutively until 1958. He served as Moderator of the church's Annual Conference three times: at Nampa, Idaho, 1938; Ashville, N. C., 1942; and Ocean Grove, N. J., 1949. He was director of Civilian Public Service for the Brethren Service Committee from 1937-1941. In this capacity he called on the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt twice concerning a program of alternate service for conscientious objectors.

Dr. Bowman was chairman of the 250th Anniversary celebration of the Church of the Brethren in 1958, editing several publications and leading a group of churchmen

to a European pilgrimage. Likewise, he was chairman of the denomination's committee responsible for the planning and erection of a new headquarters building in Elgin, Illinois, in 1958-59.

Paul H. Bowman was a businessman and leader in civil affairs in addition to being an educator and churchman. He was one of the founders of the Rockingham County Public Library and chairman of its Board of Directors for many years. He was one of the founders of the Bridgewater Rotary Club.

Before becoming president of Bridgewater College, he was president of Blue Ridge College, New Windsor, Md., and had been pastor in Philadelphia.

Dr. Bowman was graduated from Bridgewater College in 1910 with the B. A. degree, from the University of Pennsylvania with the M. A. degree and from Crozer Seminary with the B. D. degree.

He held honorary degrees from Blue Ridge, Juniata, and Roanoke Colleges besides the one from his alma mater.

In great tribute to the life and service of Dr. Paul H. Bowman, throngs attended the memorial service in the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, and many more across the country sent expressions of sympathy. As an alternate to flowers, a special memorial fund for the purchase of books for the Alexander Mack Library was set up by the Bowman family. Dr. Bowman is survived by his wife, Flora Hoover Bowman '09, and four children, Paul Hoover Bowman '34BA, Grace Bowman Koons '39BA, John Evans Bowman '41BA, and Rebecca Gene Bowman Johnson '45BS.

Bridgewater Briefs . . .

Pinion Players New Drama Name

At a meeting this spring the members of the College Curtain Club, the student drama group on campus, voted to change its name to the "Pinion Players."

The symbolism of the new name can be seen in the fact that a pinion is not only a wing feather of the eagle but it is the name of a small but important cog wheel which fits into a larger wheel.

Henceforth the drama group on the Bridgewater College campus will be known as the Pinion Players.

B. C. Debaters In Active Season

With an enlarged squad of inexperienced debaters, the Bridgewater College debate club is participating in 10 state, regional and national tournaments. Up to April 1, the club had compiled a record of 29 victories out of 60 debates, which is commendable in that the members of last year's championship team participated in only 8 of these debates.

On March 7 Bridgewater was represented in the First Annual Cumberland Valley Debate Tournament, Shippensburg State College (Pa.), with four men debating switch-style. In the varsity division, senior Dan Bly and freshman David Geiman won three out of four, losing only to Elizabethtown, the division winner. Freshman William Royster and sophomore Ben Stack went undefeated in the novice division to bring home their only trophy.

This year the club is debating the topic: "Resolved, That the federal government should guarantee an opportunity for higher education to all qualified high school

graduates." Dr. Rober E. Sappington is the debate director and coach assisted by Dr. Robert Coleberd, Dr. Frances Silliman, Prof. James Stayer and Prof. Robert McFadden.

Dr. Logan Granted Summer Fellowship

Dr. Bernard S. Logan '38BA, Bridgewater College professor of economics, has been granted a Ford Foundation Regional Research Seminar Fellowship at Duke University valued at \$1,100 for the summer of 1964.

The research seminar at Duke, which Dr. Logan plans to attend, will study recent theories concerning national production, distribution and growth and test them to determine whether they are consistent with American experience.

N. S. F. Grant For Summer Program

For the second successive year, Bridgewater College will offer a summer science training program made possible by a National Science Foundation Grant of \$6,250 for high-ability secondary students.

The purposes of the program are to provide both a theoretical background and some experiences in techniques of science. The program will consist of lectures by the regular staff and visiting scientists, laboratory sessions, and field trips to nearby centers.

Dr. John W. Martin, B. C. professor of chemistry, will again direct this summer's program which will be limited to 24 students. To be eligible, a high school student must have completed the junior year, have had one year of chemistry, and have excellent grades and recommendations.

Library Receives Noted Collections

More than 2,000 volumes from the late Dr. John S. Flory's private library have been contributed to the college's Alexander Mack Memorial Library by the Flory family. Primarily from the fields of literature and church history, this valuable collection is prized not only for its intrinsic value but in memory of the beloved professor and former president who devoted his life to Bridgewater College.

The second collection which came to the college library in February was from the library of the late Harry M. Strickler '02BA, an esteemed attorney of Luray, Virginia. Most of the books are from the field of law and have been stored in the Rockingham County Public Library.

Bittinger Receives Ph.D.

Emmert R. Bittinger '45BA, assistant professor of sociology, Bridgewater College, has completed work for his doctor of philosophy degree at the University of Maryland. Although Dr. Bittinger's diploma is dated January 30, 1964, he will participate in the June graduation exercises at College Park.

Professor Bittinger's dissertation, "Realism and Vocational Expectations," was a study of the vocational selections of 32,056 public school boys in the Washington, D. C. area.

Dr. Kyger Has Article Published

Dr. M. Ellsworth Kyger, B. C. professor of German, had an article entitled, "The German Dialect in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia" in the December issue of "Pennsyfaanish Dutch Echo," a weekly feature of the Allentown (Pa.) *Morning Call*.

Home Ec Majors Aid Building Program

Five home economics majors at Bridgewater College have set the example for all alumni and friends when they recently presented President Warren Bowman a check for \$150 toward the current \$75,000 drive for funds to build Moomaw Hall, the new Home Economics Building.

The students lived in the home management house the second eight weeks of the first semester. The girls are seeking to get a 100% participation on the part of the members of the Mu Epsilon Mu, the college's home economics honor society.

R. Douglas Nininger, chairman of the college Trustee Board, cited the sacrificial gift of these young ladies in his recent letter and appeal to alumni to support this needed program now if it is to be a reality. With present gifts, approximately \$69,000 is still needed to cover construction costs.

Fine Arts Festival April 7-11

Bridgewater College had its annual Fine Arts Festival April 7-11 featuring painting, music and drama. C. George Speck '47, a Bridgewater alumnus and rising young artist, exhibited some of his work in the Alexander Mack Memorial Library.

Karen Duke, noted folk singer, presented a program entitled "Songs with a Guitar." Esther Doyle, an associate professor of English at Juniata College, was heard in a reading *A Man for All Seasons*. Judith Nolen, Bassett, Va., a music major, presented her senior recital and the Mitchell-Ruff Trio closed the festival with a musical program in which both the old and new frontiers of jazz were explored.

B. C. Student In Summer Internship

Richard S. Harman '64, a native of Harman, W. Va., and last year's Alumni Senior Scholarship winner,

has been awarded one of the 123 summer intern scholarships in the field of journalism offered by the Newspaper Fund, Inc.

Mr. Maurice Henry '36 BA, publisher of the Middlesboro, Kentucky, *Daily News*, has offered Richard a position as a reporter on that newspaper's staff for the ten weeks of the internship. Mr. Harman, an English major at Bridgewater, is on the Dean's List, chairman of the Honor Council, and a skilled debater.

Alumnus Gives Valued Collection

Mr. Max M. Carpenter '50BA recently presented the Department of Biology of the college a collection of twenty-seven museum specimens representing nineteen species of small mammals. The collection, maintained by the department, is small but representative of the fauna of western Virginia.

Mr. Carpenter, game biologist employed by the Virginia Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries, and other former students, have collected and prepared the specimens which are stored in the Biology stockroom. Also preserved are a number of bird skins, as well as formalin-preserved specimens of fish, amphibians and reptiles, and some insects. The mammal collection is listed by the American Society of Mammalogists in its directory of systematic collections.

Other B. C. alumni besides Mr. Carpenter active in the field of conservation include Harold Trumbo '51BA, also with the Virginia Commission; Jack B. Miller '49BA, with the Pennsylvania Fish Commission; John A. Plumb '60BA, and David Olsen '60BA with the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Raymond O. Sellers '49BA, with the U. S. Park Service; and Robert S. Pierce '47, U. S. Forest Service.



Doris Kohne '64 presents Dr. Bowman a check for the gifts contributed by several home economics majors. From left to right are Miss Ruth Howe, Linda Clem, Alice Hoffman, Jane Miller, Miss Anna Myers, and Carolyn Spoerlein.



King and Queen of May, James Sheldon and Judith Nolen (left) chat with Duke and Duchess, Dorsey Whittig and Marba Hart.

May Day Set In "Camelot"

Bridgewater's annual May Day Festival is scheduled for Saturday, May 2, on the east lawn of the campus. The festive occasion will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will be set in merrie old England, in Camelot, in the days of King Arthur.

Seniors Judith Nolen and James Sheldon will reign as the 1964 Queen and King of May. Judy is a music major from Bassett, Va., and reigned as the 1963 Homecoming Queen and was elected Miss Shenandoah Valley in the Miss American contest of 1961. Jim is a biology major from Washington, D. C.

Duke and Duchess for May Day are seniors Dorsey Wittig, Broadway, Va., and Marba Hunt, Colonial Beach, Va., president of the Student Senate. Each of the four college classes will be represented by two men and two women.

After the pageant a reception will be held for all guests. In the evening the annual May Day Ball will be held in Rebecca Hall for students only.

Year Abroad Adds Mennonites

The College Year Abroad, sponsored by the Church of the Brethren Committee on Higher Education, will be open to qualified students in their junior college year from Mennonite colleges, beginning next year.

Director of the 1964-65 College Year Abroad Program will be Dr. Donald F. Durnbaugh, Bethany Theological Seminary. Already some half dozen Bridgewater College students have expressed an interest in participating in this unique experience next year. In the first group last year, Bridgewater was represented by the director, Dr. William Willoughby and family, and several students.

In the present year, no B. C. students are participating in the two European centers, Marburg, Germany, and Strasbourg, France. Encouragement has been given the Mennonite colleges to develop a similar study program in Latin America and to open it to students in Brethren colleges.

Alumni Day Will Honor President Bowman

A full day of activities will mark the 1964 version of Alumni Day on Saturday, May 30. The climax will be the annual alumni banquet which will honor Dr. Warren D. Bowman, retiring president of Bridgewater College. Registration will center in the alumni tent.

The fourth annual Alumni Golf Tourney will open the festivities Friday afternoon and Saturday morning. This year the tournament will be played on the Shenvale Course at New Market, Va., and supervised by Frank Moyers '38BA.

The Alumni Association Board of Directors will hold their annual meeting in the Conference Room of the library beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Reunion luncheons for the classes of 1904, 1914, 1924, 1934, 1939, 1944, 1954, 1959 and 1963 will be held on the campus with box lunches served by the Slater Food Service.

Former Eagle and Eaglette athletes will have a get-together in the gymnasium with the physical education staff at 3:00 p.m.

A meaningful memorial service will be conducted in the old chapel at 4:00 p.m. for deceased alumni.

Prior to the annual alumni banquet, the president of the Alumni Association will have an informal reception honoring President and Mrs. Warren D. Bowman. At the alumni banquet, all classes that graduated during President Bowman's tenure are being especially invited to return to the campus and attend this occasion. Admission will be by reservation only.

The annual musicale, sponsored by the college music department, will conclude the day. The general announcement with reservation blanks will be mailed out from the Alumni Office to all alumni within the next several weeks.

84th Commencement Sunday, May 31

Bridgewater College's Eighty-Fourth Commencement will be held Sunday, May 30, with the Baccalaureate Service at 11:00 a.m. in the College Church and the Commencement Program at 3:00 p.m. in the Gymnasium.

President Warren D. Bowman will preach the Baccalaureate sermon in the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, at eleven o'clock. The local church will hold an earlier service to accommodate the regular members. As in former years, the church facilities will be taxed with faculty, graduates, students and parents attending.

Dr. Joseph Robert, former president of Hampden-Sydney College, and presently professor of history at the University of Richmond, will be the Commencement speaker at the three o'clock exercise in the new Gymnasium. Approximately 100 seniors are candidates for degrees at this year's graduation. Many will go on in graduate work, teaching, business and related fields.

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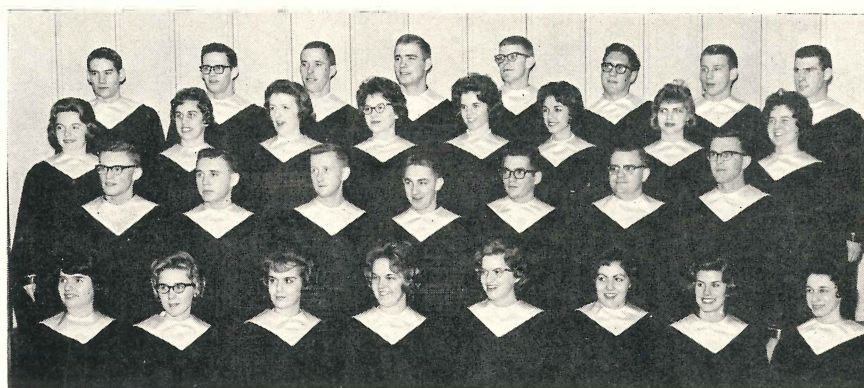
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B. C. Touring Choir In Four States



The Bridgewater College Touring Choir will give more than twenty-four concerts in its current tour of Pennsylvania, Maryland, West Virginia, and Virginia.

Directed by Professor Nelson T. Huffman and accompanied by Mrs. Ruth W. Stauffer, the 32-voice choral group is in the midst of its current season in which they will present programs in a number of churches in the four-state area plus a television appearance over WSLs-TV, Roanoke, and concerts in Southern High School, Oakland, Md., and in the Bridgewater College chapel.

The completed Spring schedule is as follows:

April 3, 8:00 p.m., Troutville Church of the Brethren, Troutville, Va.

April 4, 8:00 p.m., Bassett Church of the Brethren, Bassett, Va.

April 5, 11:00 a.m., Antioch Church of the Brethren, Rocky Mount, Va.

April 5, 3:00 p.m., First Church of the Brethren, Rocky Mount, Va.

April 5, 6:00 p.m., WSLs TV, Roanoke, Va.

April 5, 8:00 p.m., First Church of the Brethren, Roanoke, Va.

April 12, 11:00 a.m., Brownsville Church of the Brethren, Brownsville, Md.

April 12, 3:00 p.m., Pipe Creek Church of the Brethren, New Windsor, Md.

April 12, 8:00 p.m., Arlington Church of the Brethren, Arlington, Va.

April 17, 8:00 p.m., Southern High School, Oakland, Md.

April 18, 8:00 p.m., Westernport

Church of the Brethren, Westernport, Md.

April 19, 10:30 a.m., Meyersdale Church of the Brethren, Meyersdale, Pa.

April 19, 3:00 p.m., Living Stone Church of the Brethren, Cumberland, Md.

April 19, 8:00 p.m., Martinsburg Church of the Brethren, Martinsburg, W. Va.

April 26, 11:00 a.m., Charlottesville Church of the Brethren, Charlottesville, Va.

April 26, 3:00 p.m., Central Methodist Church, Staunton, Va.

April 26, 8:00 p.m., Waynesboro Church of the Brethren, Waynesboro, Va.

April 29, 10:00 a.m., Bridgewater College Chapel, Bridgewater, Va.

May 3, 11:00 a.m., Timberville Church of the Brethren, Timberville, Va.

May 3, 3:00 p.m., Linville Creek Church of the Brethren, Broadway, Va.

May 3, 8:00 p.m., Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, Bridgewater, Va.

May 8, 8:00 p.m., New Enterprise Church of the Brethren, New Enterprise, Pa.

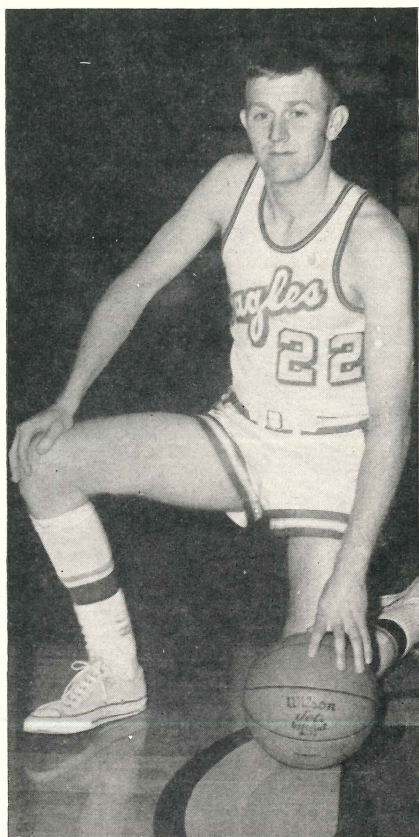
May 9, 8:00 p.m., Mechanicsburg Church of the Brethren, Mechanicsburg, Pa.

May 10, 11:00 a.m., Westminster Church of the Brethren, Westminster, Md.

May 10, 3:00 p.m., Long Green Valley Church of the Brethren, Glen Arm, Md.

May 10, 8:00 p.m., Locust Grove Church of the Brethren, Unionville, Md.

Eagle Sports Parade



PAUL HATCHER ON ALL-STARS

Sophomore Paul Hatcher of Bridgewater's Basketball Eagles was named to the First Team of both the Mason-Dixon Conference Team and of the Virginia Small College Team. Hatcher ended the season with a point average of 22.9 per game to capture third place in the high point scoring category for all colleges and universities in Virginia.

Sophomore flash Joe Browder, Salem, Va., was Bridgewater's second contribution to the all-stars, receiving Honorable Mention in both the M-D Conference and the Virginia Small-College teams. Joe also has the distinction of making the Dean's List for the first semester. Bridgewater's one-two punch of Hatcher and Browder will be hard to beat next year.

EAGLES POST WINNING SEASON

Bridgewater's "cinderella" basketball team hung up an over-all 14-10 season, finishing fourth in the southern division of the Mason-Dixon Conference.

With only one senior on the team, scrappy captain Murray Ross, the Myersmen lacked height and depth but made up for it in aggressiveness and accuracy. Roanoke and Hampden Sydney Colleges were the only schools to take two games from the Eagles. They split with Randolph-Macon, Washington and Lee, Old Dominion, R. P. I. and Lynchburg. They won two from Shepherd, and the only game with Towson State, Washington College, Baltimore U., and Western Maryland.

In tournament play, they lost to Concord College (W. Va.) in the final of the Bridgewater Rotary Holiday Tournament and were beaten 95-58 in the first round of the Mason-Dixon Conference tourney by Mt. St. Marys, last year's champs.

Bridgewater's 1-2 punch was Paul Hatcher, Bassett sharpshooter who finished third in the state in average point scoring. Close behind was sophomore Joe Browder, Salem flash, who posted a 19 point average.

Prospects should be excellent for next year with the loss of only Murray Ross and substitute Douglas Shear.

Track Team In Two Home Meets

"Doc" Harry Jopson's track team has scheduled only two home meets in their ten-meet program. Most of the engagements are away because of the condition of the Riverside cinder track. Again this year, the team suffers from depth both in the field and the track events.

Coaching Clinic Held April 4

The Bridgewater College Physical Education Department conducted its first annual Coaching Clinic for high school coaches of football and basketball on the college campus, Saturday, April 4.

Directed by Coach George Keim and Coach Melvin Myers, the clinic brought to the campus nine outstanding football and basketball coaches who led separate groups in the improvement of high school interscholastic athletics. Registration and displays were in the gym along with the basketball clinic. The group interested in football met in Cole Hall. Refreshments were furnished by the Pepsi Cola Bottling Company and lunch was served in the college cafeteria.

Eaglettes Keep Winning Ways

The 1963-64 Bridgewater College Eaglettes posted an impressive 10-2 record for the past basketball season. Living up to former performances, the B. C. coeds, coached by Miss Laura Mapp, scored double wins over Madison and Roanoke colleges and split two contests with Lynchburg College. Single victories were scored over such teams as College of William and Mary, Hollins, Westhampton, Elizabethtown and the University of Maryland. The only other loss was a close 27-29 game with Salisbury (Md.) State on their floor.

Handball B. C.'s Major Sport

For real interest and activity, the major sport on the Bridgewater campus is handball. Hardly an afternoon hour goes by without the court in the gym basement resounding to the serve of the handball. The demand is such that reservations for the court may be made if there is ever a hope of using it. Faculty and staff are so avid pursuers of the sport that even students have a hard time getting the court.

Snead Leads Golfers

Jack Snead '66, son of Sam Snead, golf great, was selected captain of this year's B. C. golf team. They have nine matches plus the Mason-Dixon and State Intercollegiate championships. Bridgewater uses the Ingleside Hotel golf course as their home green.

B. C. Nine Open Season

With an ambitious 23-game schedule, the Bridgewater College baseball team opened its current season against such high-powered opponents as Bucknell University, West Virginia Mountaineers and the University of Maine.

The B. C. Nine, supervised by Coach Dan Geiser, have a long hard season ahead of them without the aid of a single veteran pitcher. Also missing is the catching of graduates Wayne Mitchell and the power-hitting of shortstop Phil Kinchelov, along with other non-returnees. Much is expected of the long-ball hitting of outfielders such as Roger Seale, Yager Marks and Carleton Cox. Sophomores Cox and Marks were elected co-captains for this year.

A new piece of equipment, a pitching machine, gave the squad an early workout in hitting.

Netmen Again Led By Higgs

Eugene Higgs, Hagerstown, Md. senior was elected captain of the B. C. tennis team for the second straight year. Playing in No. 1 position, Gene will have several returnees to carry the load of eleven matches though no outstanding strength appears on the squad of hopefuls. One of the major needs is adequate coaching and the development of individual tennis ability of those competing. Up to now tennis is one of the step-children of Bridgewater's intercollegiate athletic program.

SPRING ATHLETIC SCHEDULES

TRACK

April 4, Sat.—Catholic University Invitation	Away
April 11, Sat.—Lynchburg College	Away
April 14, Tues.—Washington & Lee University	Away
April 18, Sat.—Roanoke College	Home
April 22, Wed.—Randolph-Macon College	Home
April 29, Sat.—Mason-Dixon Relays	Away
April 28, Tues.—Hampden-Sydney College	Away
May 2, Sat.—State Meet	Away
May 9, Sat.—Little 8 Meet, May 15-16, M-D Meet	Away

BASEBALL

March 23, Mon.—Bucknell University	(won) Home
March 25, Wed.—Bucknell University	(won) Home
April 1, Wed.—West Virginia University	(lost) Home
April 2, Thur.—University of Maine	(lost) Home
April 3, Fri.—Ashland College	(won) Home
April 4, Sat.—Washington College	(lost) Away
April 10, Fri.—Baltimore University	Home
April 11, Sat.—Washington & Lee University	Away
April 14, Tues.—Shepherd College	Away
April 16, Thur.—Hampden-Sydney College	Home
April 18, Sat.—Lynchburg College	Home
April 21, Tues.—Randolph-Macon College	Home
April 23, Thur.—Washington & Lee University	Home
April 25, Sat.—Old Dominion College (2)	Away
April 28, Tues.—Lynchburg College	Away
April 29, Wed.—Hampden-Sydney College	Away
May 1, Fri.—Catholic University	Home
May 5, Tues.—Randolph-Macon College	Away
May 9, Sat.—R. P. I. (2)	Home

GOLF

March 23, Mon.—Kent State College	Home
April 7, Tues.—Lynchburg College	Home
April 10, Sat.—Hampden-Sydney College	Home
April 13, Mon.—Old Dominion College	Away
April 17, Fri.—Roanoke College	Home
April 24, Fri.—Washington & Lee University	Away
May 1, Fri.—Roanoke College	Away
May 5, Tues.—R. P. I.	Away
May 8, Fri.—V. M. I.	Home

TENNIS

April 6, Mon.—Lynchburg College	Away
April 13, Mon.—Old Dominion College	Away
April 16, Thur.—Hampden-Sydney College	Home
April 17, Fri.—Roanoke College	Home
April 21, Tues.—Randolph-Macon College	Home
April 24, Fri.—Washington & Lee University	Away
April 25, Sat.—Catholic University	Home
April 28, Tues.—Lynchburg College	Home
May 1, Fri.—Roanoke College	Away
May 5, Tues.—Hampden-Sydney College	Away
May 8, Fri.—Lynchburg College	Home

Class Notes

'00

Dr. William T. Sanger '09BA, Chancellor of the Medical College of Virginia, is serving as chairman of the Council for the University Center in Virginia.

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Mrs. Georgie Hough Holden '28BA, director of public relations, Gallaudet College, was elected secretary of the Mason-Dixon District of the American College Public Relations Association at its annual meeting in February at Williamsburg, Va.

Among those appearing in the 1963 edition of "Virginia Lives" is the name of **Benton Alderman '25**, conservationist, agriculturalist, and churchman.

'30

Dr. John W. Musselman '31BR, formerly president of the Harford (Md.) Junior College, has accepted the position as Dean of Faculty at Rockland Community College, Suffern, New York.

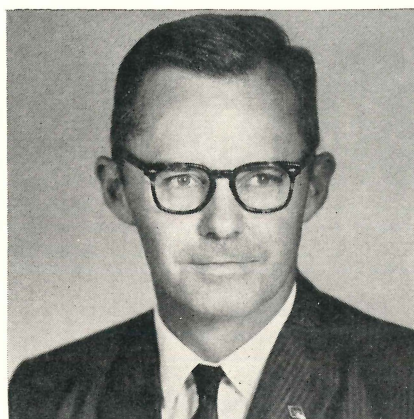
Edwin E. Will '31BA, superintendent of Brunswick (Va.) County Public Schools, is serving as president of the Lawrenceville Rotary Club, among other civic and religious responsibilities.

Dr. Everette L. May '35BA, president of the B. C. Alumni Association and chief of the Section on Medicinal Chemistry of N. I. H., was named assistant editor of the *Journal of Medicinal Medicine*.

Harvey H. Scott '35BA, manager of the Shenandoah Valley Coop. Milk Producers, is now a member of the Harrisonburg (Va.) Electric Commission.

Charles W. Wampler, Jr., '35, is not only president of the Rockingham County (Va.) Fair but was elected president of the Virginia Association of Fairs.

Winfree A. Gutshell '39BA, is now associated with the Ralston Purina Co. with the Checkerboard sales territory of Rockingham and Shenandoah counties, Virginia.



J. Hiram Zigler '39BA, since 1960 Director of Organization for the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation, has also assumed the work of information services, editing and publishing the monthly *Virginia Farm Bureau News*. He taught agriculture from 1939-1955 after which he became field representative of the Va. Farm Bureau in Southside Virginia. He is an active member of the Bon Air Methodist Church and the Bon Air Ruritan Club. **Hardenia Click Zigler '44**, his wife, is guidance counselor at the Douglas S. Freeman High School, Richmond, Va.

Dr. R. Lowell Wine '41BA, professor and chairman of the Hollins College statistics department, has been granted a year's leave of absence to become visiting professor of mathematics at Arizona State University. His latest book, *Statistics for Scientists and Engineers*, will be released in June.

Lowell '47 and Patricia Myers Boothe '50, are both teaching in the schools trust territory of Truk in the East Caroline Islands of the Pacific Ocean.

Winston O. Weaver '47BA, president of the Rockingham Construction Company of Harrisonburg (Va.) recently made an eight-week trip around the world with a group of Christian laymen, members of the International Christian Laymen's Assn.

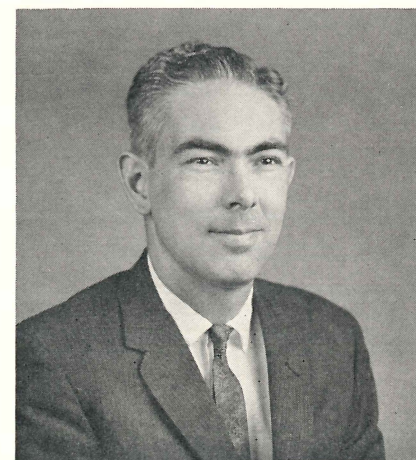
Dr. E. W. Gilbert '48, was elected for a third term as president of the Page Memorial Hospital board of directors, Luray, Va.

Larry O. Miller '49, recently passed the District of Columbia bar examination and is associated with the law firm of Cushman, Darby and Cushman, of Washington, D. C.

John L. Miller '49, field man for the Va. Co-op Milk Producers Assn., received Harrisonburg (Va.) Jaycees' key man award for his outstanding leadership in the club's projects during the past year.

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Carl McDaniels '51BA, since 1959 on the staff of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, Washington, D. C., has recently been appointed Director of Professional Services in a A. P. G. A. reorganization. Formerly a high school teacher, coach, and counselor, he holds an M. E. degree from the University of Virginia where he is currently a doctoral candidate. Carl is a member of a number of professional organizations and of Phi Delta Kappa, visiting lecturer at several universities and author of numerous articles in professional magazines. Out of a busy professional life, Mr. McDaniels is an active member of the Arlington (Va.) Church of the Brethren and a key leader in the B. C. Alumni Association. He is married to **Wilda Ann Eller '51BA** and is the father of several daughters.



Earle W. Fike, Jr. '51BA, former pastor of the Chicago First Church of the Brethren, has been named assistant professor of homiletics at Bethany Theological Seminary beginning September 1.

Lyle R. Kindig '52BA, a farmer and cattle dealer of Stuarts Draft (Va.), was elected to a four-year term on the Augusta County Board of Supervisors.

Richard A. Smith '53, is a food technologist in the General Foods plant at Dover, Del.

Rev. Lawrence E. Durr '54BA, is

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serving as a Presbyterian missionary in Brazil for a five-year term, two of which he has already served.

Stanley N. Turner '56BS, and wife were the 1964 March of Dimes chairmen for Harrisonburg and Rockingham County, Va.

Rev. Robert R. Compher '57 and wife (left), missionary appointees for Vietnam, are welcomed to the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board headquarters in Richmond, Va., by the Board's secretary, Dr. Fletcher. Rev. Compher has been pastor of the Winn's Creek Baptist Church, Halifax, Va.



Dr. John S. Harman '57BA, after graduation from the Medical College of Virginia, has been in Birmingham, Alabama, specializing in urology.

Rev. Auburn A. Boyers '59BA, is pastor of the Connellsville (Pa.) Church of the Brethren and enrolled part-time at the University of Pittsburgh working on his doctorate.

James Bryant '59BA, is now serving as chief Probation Officer in Augusta County, Va.

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William R. Ecker '60BA, teaching and coaching at Sykesville, Md., received the Master of Education degree from Penn State, December 14, 1963.

Mary Denlinger Nies '60, besides a homemaker, is employed as a case-worker for the Montgomery County (Ohio) Welfare Department in Dayton, O.

Dale Foster '60BA, is now head track coach, assistant football and basketball coach at Andrew Lewis High School, Salem, Va.

James E. Reid '60, has been promoted to assistant ranger of the Ammonoosuc Ranger District of the White Mountain National Forest, Littleton, New Hampshire.

A. Jackson Ridder '60BS, has been appointed as court social worker for the city of Harrisonburg (Va.) by the city Board of Public Welfare.

Alfred Whitelaw '60BA, has been promoted to the level of journeyman in the Internal Revenue Service in the Richmond, Va., Office. He serves as a career recruiter for IRS agents.

Sandra Smith Henley '61BA, is now working in the Christian Education Office of the Metropolitan Memorial Methodist Church, Washington, D. C., while her husband is a student at Wesley Seminary.

Walter W. Whitacre '61BS, is assistant accounting supervisor, Hot Shoppes, Inc., and living in Silver Springs, Md.

Calvert Fulcher, Jr. '62, is Head Programmer and IBM Data Processing Systems Coordinator at Stanley Furniture Co., Stanleytown, Va.

Miles W. Sandin '62BA, is a research assistant in the Ballistics Analysis Lab., Institute for Cooperative Research, Johns Hopkins University.

Dudley Aist '63BA, is teaching civics in a junior high school in Prince George County, Md., and is interested in entering George Washington University Law School.

Laird C. Arey '63BA, has been appointed to the Officers Training School of the U. S. Air Force.

William Leroy Crumpacker '63, is employed as a printer with the Blue Ridge Lithograph Co. of Lynchburg, Va.

Wendy Anne Eder '63, is employed as a saleslady at the MCS Post Exchange, Quantico, Va.

Cathleen Fisher '63BA, is teaching retarded children in the Stapledon School, Nassau, Bahamas.

Lawrence Ray Frye '63, is serving as pastor of the Franklin, W. Va., E. U. B. Church.

Dale Hartman '63, is serving in Hildesheim, Germany, under the Brethren Volunteer Service.

John E. Henneberger II '63BA, is on six months active duty in the U. S. Army.

Mitchell W. Holsinger '63BS, has been commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force after graduation from Lackland, Texas, O. T. S. He was reassigned to Amarillo A. F. B., Texas.

William Franklin Hopkins, Jr. '63, is serving in Air Police work in the U. S. Air Force overseas.

Jerry Franklin Lambert '63BS, is a salesman for NASO, Inc., a fund-raising agency for schools.

Mervil Leavell, Jr. '63BA, is employed in the Personnel Department of the Metalcraft of Virginia, Waynesboro, Va.

Dexter R. Legg '63, is in Brawley, Cal., serving in the Brethren Volunteer Service as Casa de Amistad.

George N. Middlekauff '63BA, a music major graduate and teacher in the public schools, has opened an organ and piano school at the Miles Music Co., Harrisonburg, Va.

James Bascom Neal '63, is employed as a design draftsman for the Todd Steel Inc., and living near Leesburg, Va.

Judy Ann Beckner Patterson '63BA, married October 26, is teaching in the East Salem Elementary School, Salem, Va.

William H. Ralston, Jr. '63BA, is serving as state parole officer for the state of Virginia.

Margaret N. Runnels '63BA, is teaching Junior (11th grade) English in the Lee High School, Staunton, Va.

William E. Shaner, Jr. '63BA, is a student at the Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, Columbia, S. C.

Norman Sulser '63BA, recently was advanced from grade 5 to 7 in the Internal Revenue Service and attended the Revenue Officers' advanced training school in Detroit. He is attached to the Richmond, Va., Office of the IRS.

Kenji Takaya '63, is employed in the reservation section of the Japan Air Lines, New York.

Paul Pete Vames '63BA, is teaching in the Shelbourne Junior High School, Staunton, Va.

Edward T. VanLear '63BA, is employed as a teacher in the Moody School in Clifton Forge, Va.

Marina Darlene Walker '63, is serving as a Peace Corps Volunteer medical team worker in Dessie, Ethiopia.

Susan Young, '63, is employed at the Brethren Service Center, New Windsor, Md.

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Wedding Bells . . .

Mary Lynn Parrett '60 and **Carey Albert Snyder** '59BA, June 1, 1963. They are at home at 3013 Moreland Ave., Baltimore, Md.

Linda Lou Shields and **William Leroy Crumpacker** '63, June 15, 1963, in the Lynchburg (Va.) Church of the Brethren. They are at home at 4620 Golf Park Drive, Lynchburg, Va.

Donna Lynne McFarland '63 and **Raymond Glenn Agee**, August 24, 1963, in the Bethany Christian Church, Roanoke, Va. They are at home at 117 Wildhurst Ave., N. E., Roanoke, Va.

Carolyn Rae Andes '62 and **Paul Martin Croushorn** '58BA, October 23, 1963, in the Midland, Va., Church of the Brethren. They are at home at 805 E. Piedmont St., Culpeper, Va.

Judith Ann Beckner '63BA and **Robert Reed Patterson**, October 26, 1963, in the Williamson Road Church of the Brethren, Roanoke, Va. They will be at home at 1717 Westover Ave., S. W., Roanoke, Va.

Carolyn Ellen Belvin and **William Alexander Hunt** '63, November 16, 1963, in the Williamsburg, Va., Methodist Church. They are at home at Rt. 1, Box 122, Tabb, Va.

Sandra Wayne Getz and **Kay Paul Showalter** '58, November 16, 1963, in the Broadway (Va.) E. U. B. Church. They are at home at Timberville, Va.

Suzanne Farrell and **Jon Ivan Branner** '62, December 20, 1963, in the Fairfax, Va., Methodist Church. They are at home in the Bridgewater, Va., Trailer Park.

Jean Ann Braunlich '63BA and **James Herbert Davis** '63BA, December 21, 1963, in the St. John's Episcopal Church, McLean, Va. They are at home on Star Route A, Staunton, Va.

Linda Gale Cassell '64 and **Jared Jessee Clem** '63BA, December 21, 1963, in the Bassett, (Va.) Church of the Brethren. They are at home at 200 N. Main St., Bridgewater, Va.

E. Ann Powell '63BA and **William H. Ralston, Jr.** '63BA, December 28, 1963, in the First Presbyterian Church, Harrisonburg, Va. They are at home at 2518 Grove Ave., Richmond, Va.

Freda Ellen Thompson and **Richard Lee Smoot** '55, February 8, 1964, in the First Christian Church, Pearisburg, Va. They are at home on Rt. 1, Fishersville, Va.

Elaine Stratton and **James Bascom Neal** '63, February 14, 1964, in Alexandria, Va. They are at home in Leesburg, Va.

Karen Lou Sagebiel '61BS and **Wen-**

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dell B. Barnes, Jr. They are at home at 405 E. 82nd St., New York City.

Shirley Mae Long '65 and **Dale Leon Hollen** '61, February 22, 1964, in the Mill Creek Church of the Brethren, Port Republic, Va. They are at home at Port Republic, Va.

Future Eagles . . .

Lois Hartman Webb '59BA and **Ronald Stanley Webb**, a son, **Ronald Stephen**, born March 22, 1963.

Katherine Coffman Bowman '51BA and **Donald R. Bowman**, a son, **Daniel Ray Bowman**, born June 4, 1963.

Harriet Flora Rader '63BS and **John Richard Rader** '60BA, a daughter, **Sarah Elaine**, born July 2, 1963.

Sue W. Fulcher and **Calvert Fulcher, Jr.** '62, a daughter, **Deborah Jeanne**, born August 11, 1963.

Brenda Peatross Littlepage and **William Hale Littlepage** '58BA, a son, **William Jeffrey**, born September 19, 1963.

Harriet W. Liskey and **Russell S. Liskey** '63BS, a daughter, **Deborah Elizabeth**, born October 3, 1963.

Sharon Shoemaker Zirk and **William L. Zirk, Jr.** '64, a son, **William LeRoy, Jr.**, born October 14, 1963.

Theresa Shaft Wampler and **Donald Gene Wampler** '59BA, a daughter, **Susan Marie**, born November 10, 1963.

Ruth Holman Garrigan '57 and **Albert W. Garrigan**, a daughter, **Debra Lynn**, born November 17, 1963.

Betty Santmyers Grove and **David R. Grove** '63BA, a son, **David Michael**, born November 14, 1963.

Edna Foley Phillips and **Rev. Bobby L. Phillips** '56BA, a daughter, **Melinda Carol**, born November 21, 1963.

Janice Long Pence, '61BS and **Roger Pence**, a son, **Roger Steven**, born December 3, 1963.

Peggy Davis Plumb and **John A. Plumb** '60 BA, a son, **David William**, born December 4, 1963.

Janet Wampler Good and **Rev. Beverly B. Good** '59BA, a daughter, **Marjorie Beth**, born December 31, 1963.

Patricia Wright Clough '57 and **Richard English Clough** '65, a daughter, **English Miller**, born January 9, 1964.

Gretchen Lewis Harman and **Dr. John S. Harman** '57BA, a son, **Scott Myers**, born January 26, 1964.

Prof. and Mrs. Harlan Mummert, a daughter, **Jill Marlene**, born January 30, 1964. Mr. Mummert is assistant professor of Bible.

Carolyn Lantz Hatcher '54 and **W. William Hatcher** '55BS, a daughter, **Lisa Carol**, born February 3, 1964.

Louise Byrd Huffman and **David Lynn Huffman** '61BS, a son, **David Lynn, Jr.**, born February 17, 1964.

Janice Bryant Shober '59BA and **Dwight W. Shober** '58BS, a daughter, **Katherine Lynn**, born February 19, 1964.

Betty Fike Myers '52 and **Coach Melvin L. Myers** '52BA, a son, **Melvin Bruce**, born February 27, 1964.

Naomi Grant Knicely '63BS and **Allen Gene Knicely** '66, a leap-year son, born February 29, 1964.

Norman Aist Diehl '58BA and **Fred A. Diehl** '60BA, a daughter, **Leslie Suzann**, born March 3, 1964.

Dorothy Potter Bryant '58 and **James M. Bryant** '59BA, a son, **William Edward**, born December 9, 1963.

Priscilla Weeks Compher and **Rev. Robert R. Compher** '57, a daughter, **Katherine Anne**, born March 11, 1964.

Doris Thompson Fancher '52 and **Donald E. Fancher** '58BA, a son, **Neal Martin**, born March 16, 1964.

In Memoriam...

Effie Showalter Long '98, Harrisonburg, Va., November 30, 1963.

William Berlin Simmons '18BA, Berkeley, W. Va., November 8, 1963. A noted educator and civic leader, he died in the U. S. Public Service Hospital, Baltimore.

John Larrick Zirkle '30, Columbia, S. C., January 18, 1964.

Prof. John E. Dotterer '12BR, Manchester College retired professor, January 21, 1964.

Willie Ruth Phibbs '65, Bridgewater, Va., February 22, 1964.

Dorothy Miller Wilson '53, Charlottesville, Va., March 6, 1964.

Dr. Cecil Guy Hupp '36BA, Mt. Jackson, Va., March 11, 1964.

J. Alfred Flora '06Dal, Trotwood, Ohio, February 24, 1964.

Vera Viola Via '42BA, Free Union, Va., February 13, 1964.

Willie Ruth Phibbs '65 Nov. 10, 1942 - Feb. 22, 1964

The youngest of nine children, all of whom attended Bridgewater College, Ruth took special pride in being a B. C. student. She brought Bridgewater an overflowing enthusiasm and cooperative spirit which was expressed in her excellent participation in the college student activities as a fine committee member, excellent class secretary, capable yearbook journalist, a friendly socializer and a good student. Transcending all of these qualities, Ruth was a girl with courage.

The struggle began during the summer of her freshman year when a malignant mole was removed from her heel. From then on it was a courageous fight with the cancerous disease until Ruth was admitted to the National Institutes of Health last November. Here she demonstrated the same courage in accepting new drugs for a hope of cure. Overcome physically, but never spiritually, Ruth died on February 22, 1964.

No one talked to Ruth without an awareness of her calm assurance in God's purpose for her affliction. No one saw her execute her normal daily living without a knowledge of her miraculous courage.

Ruth left a legacy beyond words and price for all Bridgewater students and alumni for all time. Members of the junior class participated in her memorial service at Pulaski, Va.



George Graham '53BA, Washington alumni chapter president, chats with several prospective students invited to the B. C. fellowship hour following Bridgewater's basketball victory over Gallaudet in Washington.

Chapter Chatter

Sebring, Florida, January 27. Forty-seven present. Jacob F. Replogle, alumni secretary, spoke.

Winter Park, Florida, February 1. Twenty-three present. College alumni secretary spoke.

Roanoke Chapter, February 8, in the Vinton (Va.) War Memorial Hall. Mr. Orland Wages, college librarian, was the principal speaker.

North Rockingham Chapter, February 17, in the Garbers Restaurant, Timberville, Va.; with Miss Danielle LeGoff, Toulon, France, as speaker.

Tidewater Chapter, February 21, in the Strawberry Banks Motor Inn, Hampton, Va. Dr. John E. Duberg, Langley Space Center, guest speaker.

Richmond Chapter, February 22, in the West Richmond Church of the Brethren with a covered-dish supper. President Warren Bowman, speaker.

Chicago Chapter, February 28, in the Elgin, Ill., Y. M. C. A. Dr. W. Harold Row '34, spoke of the visitation to Russia.

Fairfax-Prince William Chapter, met March 7 in the Manassas (Va.) Church of the Brethren with Mr. Orland Wages, college librarian, as a speaker.

Harrisonburg - East Rockingham Chapter met on March 12 in the College Dining Room with Mr. R. Douglas Nininger, Trustee Board chairman, as the speaker.

Dayton - Bridgewater Chapter brought Europe to Bridgewater in its dinner in the College Dining Room March 19. Dr. Bernard Logan, professor of economics, told of the Common Market and the Valley. Ann Earhart, who participated in the Junior Year Abroad, shared her experiences.

Augusta County Chapter, March 20, met in the Staunton (Va.) Church of the Brethren with the men's and women's quartets providing the program.

Tennessee Chapter met March 30 in Knoxville, Tenn., with the chairman of the Trustee Board as the feature speaker.

Franklin County Chapter met April 10, in the Antioch Church. Rev. Albert Sauls, speaker.

Henry County Chapter had as its speaker Miss Danielle LeGoff, a junior



President Bowman addresses alumni in Richmond (Va.) chapter meeting. Chapter president George W. Swartz '35 BA (left), alumni secretary Replogle and prospective student Robert Newsom listen.

from Toulon, France, at its dinner on April 11 in the Lavender Restaurant, Collinsville Va.

New York alumni heard Mr. Clarence E. May, professor of English, in its dinner in downtown New York on April 11.

Cumberland Valley Chapter met on April 24 in the Hagerstown (Md.) Church of the Brethren.

Baltimore Chapter met on April 16 in the Penn Lee Hotel, Towson, Md., with Mr. George W. Kent, professor of psychology, as the speaker.

Pennsylvania Chapter had a dinner in the Ephrata, Pa., Church of the Brethren on April 17 with Dr. Robert Coleberd, professor of economics, as featured speaker.

Washington, D. C. Chapter met in the Britt Restaurant on Saturday, April 18. Coach Melvin Myers, B. C. head basketball coach, was the speaker.

Carroll County Chapter's dinner was held in the Union Bridge (Md.) Church of the Brethren on April 18 with Dr. Robert Coleberd, professor of economics, as the speaker.

The **Upper Potomac Valley Chapter** has its dinner meeting on Saturday, May 2, in the Oak Park Church of the Brethren, Oakland, Md.

Delmarva chapter meets on Friday, May 1, in the Easton, Md. Church of the Brethren at 7:00 p.m. The guest speaker will be Mr. Otis P. Jefferson, Assistant Director of University Extension at the University of Delaware.

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Saturday, June 27, 1964, 12 Noon

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Speaker: Dr. Wayne F. Geisert, President-Elect

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during recent years revealed a startling deficiency in our education in basic physical science. It became incumbent upon us to supply that deficiency as rapidly as humanly possible, and this we are attempting to do; but it is equally necessary to remember that physics is not the whole of life. We need more research scientists, it is true; but that need is not as pressing as the need for more wise men.

We Americans are an impulsive people. Show us a compelling need and we instantly throw into meeting it, energies so tremendous that they astound the world. That is creditable, but it has its attendant danger — the danger of throwing into one narrow channel so much of our energy that we neglect other necessities and so end as badly out of balance as we were before.

The way to guard against that is to broaden without weakening the intellectual interests of the student, and to effect that purpose the first indispensable instrument is a great library. Sir Isaac Newton was a great man, one of the monumental figures in the history of science, and for a student to graduate from this college ignorant of the very name of Newton would be scandalous. But I remind you that Newton's contemporary, John Milton, was also a great man, one of the monumental figures in the history of literature, and for a student to graduate ignorant of Milton would be equally scandalous.

Learned Fool Dangerous

To make the student who is interested in physics acquainted with Milton, and to make the student who majors in English acquainted with Newton, is a long step toward preventing either from emerging from college a half-man, tremendously learned in one subject but ignorant of all else. We have only to look at those scientists who worked enthusiastically for Hitler

to realize that a learned fool is one of the most dangerous men in the world; and we must not let our enthusiasm for scientific education trap us into producing them.

This library will help fortify Bridgewater College against that danger. No man can so much as walk through a great library without acquiring at least a touch of humility, for his own eyes tell him how insignificant is his own learning by comparison with the accumulated knowledge of the race.

readers write . .

Haxtun, Colorado

Dear Jake

I appreciated your editorial "Reformatory or Convent" in the August issue of the "Bridgewater ALUMNUS." I suspect it was prompted by criticisms leveled at the college which I have heard about.

What you say is more true than most parents and pastors want to admit. One reason I tended to agree with your thinking is that all too often our colleges get blamed for matters which are not their fault. Some of this kind of criticism we get through our boys who are in another Brethren college.

All of the "Alumnus" was good reading; so you see it does get read. Best wishes to all.

Sincerely,

Virgil Weimer '39BA

• *Thanks for your comments. Editorial was written last February before any specific criticism. How easy to generalize and see the worst than look for the best.*

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Richmond, Va.

Dear Editor:

"I was so impressed by the new dorm and the beautiful library. I am proud to be a part of B. C. — and I look forward to its even greater progress. Best to all."

—Howard Hammond '62BA

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PAUL H. BOWMAN

There is sad but meaningful coincidence in the death of Dr. Paul H. Bowman Saturday and the dedication, just 24 hours earlier, of Bridgewater College's Alexander Mack Memorial Library. The coincidence lies in the part that Dr. Bowman, Bridgewater's president - emeritus, played in the erection of the handsome new library, a significant asset to this entire area, and in the words that were spoken at the dedication.

Dr. Bowman, outstanding churchman and educator that he was, capped a distinguished career by coming out of retirement to head the Brethren College's Crusade for Excellence. The drive resulted in nearly a million dollars being raised and the funds were used for new buildings, among them the library.

At its dedication Friday, a former Maryland governor, Baltimore Mayor Theodore McKeldin, in a notable address, touched on the ancient central idea of education as advanced by Plato and Aristotle. "That idea," Mr. McKeldin explained, "was the idea of the whole man, who was at once the soldier, the citizen, the head of a household and the priest at the altar."

Dr. Bowman gave full measure to the demands of that idea. A nationally prominent churchman and educator, he also found time to be a leading citizen in both peace and war and his civic efforts advanced the cause of such institutions and movements as the Rockingham Public Library, the Rockingham Memorial Hospital, the Bridgewater Rotary Club and the Plains District Development Corp., founded several years ago to encourage industry for this country.

Paul Bowman was the WHOLE man. Because he was, Rockingham County, and the Valley, will benefit for many years from his work as an educator, business man, churchman and civic leader.

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(effective April 1, 1964)

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Bridgewater College

ALUMNI DAY

Saturday, May 30, 1964

Honoring: Dr. Warren D. Bowman
Retiring President, Bridgewater College

- **ANNUAL GOLF TOURNEY**
Friday afternoon, May 29, \$3.00
Saturday morning, May 30, \$3.50
Shenvalee Golf Course, New Market, Virginia
- **CLASS REUNION LUNCHEONS, 12:30 p.m.**
Box Luncheons on campus, \$1.25 each
Classes of 1904, 1914, 1924, 1934, 1939 (25th),
1944, 1954, 1959 (5th) and 1963
- **"LOCKER ROOM CHATTER," 3:00 p.m.**
For all former Eagles and Eaglettes, Gym
- **MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ALUMNI, 4:00 p.m.**
In Old Chapel, Memorial Hall
- **PRESIDENTS' RECEPTION AND GARDEN PARTY,**
East Lawn, 4:45 p.m.
- **ANNUAL ALUMNI BANQUET, 5:30 p.m.**
Rebecca Hall. Limited accommodations for
advanced reservations.
- **MUSICALE, 8:15 p.m., Cole Hall**
Annual musical treat sponsored by the
Music Dept.

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